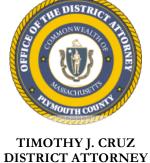
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BROCKTON, MA- Plymouth County District Attorney Timothy J. Cruz today announced that the investigation into the remains of two bodies that were found in a wooded area off of North Quincy Street in Brockton is ongoing. Investigators have not yet determined the identity of the two victims nor has the cause and manner of their deaths been determined.

On Sunday December 28, 2014 at approximately 12:18 p.m., the Brockton Police Department received a call regarding the discovery of a possible human body in the wooded area off of 251 North Quincy Street in Brockton. Brockton Police Detectives immediately responded and secured the scene. The State Police Detectives assigned to the Plymouth County District Attorney's Office were notified and responded to the scene to begin their investigation. The State Police Crime Scene Services Section, Crime Lab also responded to assist in processing the scene. In addition the State Police Collision Analysis Reconstruction Section, the Special Emergency Response Team, the K9 Unit, the Troop D CAT Team and the Airwing Section also responded to assist in the investigation.

During the course of the investigation it was determined that there were the remains of two bodies at the scene, one of which appears to have been dismembered. The dismembered remains were identified as belonging to a female with brown hair. No further identification of either victim has been made at this point. The remains were transported to the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner for further examination. The ME is working with investigators to determine the identity of the deceased as well as the cause and manner of their deaths.

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The area where the bodies were found is a wooded area off of North Quincy Street near the power lines in Brockton.

The matter remains under investigation by the State Police Detectives assigned to the Plymouth County District Attorney's Office and the Brockton Police. Anyone with information is urged to contact investigators at (508)947-8087 or (508)941-0234.

No further comment will be made at this time.

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